AGENDA

EDUCATION INTERIM COMMITTEE

UTAH LEGISLATURE

Wednesday, October 17, 2007 • 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. • Room W135 House Building

1. Committee Business

- · Call to order
- Approval of the minutes of the September 19, 2007 meeting

2. Report of the New Commission on the Skills of the American Workforce

Members of the New Commission on the Skills of the American Workforce will review its report, "Tough Choices, Tough Times", which makes recommendations for changing the U.S. education system to more effectively prepare students for the workforce.

- William E. Brock, former U.S. Senator from Tennessee, U.S. Trade Representative, Secretary of Labor, and member of the New Commission on the Skills of the American Workforce
- Mark S. Tucker, President, National Center on Education and the Economy, and Vice Chair and Staff Director, New Commission on the Skills of the American Workforce

3. Consider Proposed Legislation, "Mathematics, Science, and Technology Education Task Force"

The Committee will consider proposed legislation creating a legislative task force to review issues related to mathematics education.

· Sen. Howard Stephenson

4. Consider Proposed Legislation, "Students with Disabilities Diploma Requirements"

The Committee will consider proposed legislation addressing high school diploma requirements for students with disabilities.

- Sen. Patricia Jones
- Sen. Howard Stephenson

5. State School Fund Report

As required by statute, the Committee will receive the annual report on the State School Fund.

Ed Alter, State Treasurer

6. Other Items / Adjourn